

REMARKS

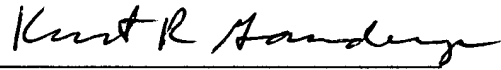
Claims 1-21 are currently pending in the application.

Claim 18 is currently amended to depend from claim 21.

Claims 22-23 are canceled.

Independent claim 18 is amended to depend from claim 21 and independent claims 22 and 23 are canceled. Applicant respectfully requests consideration and allowance of the pending claims.

Respectfully submitted,



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